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For: STABILIZED DIHYDROLIPOIC ACID AND METHOD OF PRODUCING SAME

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 11 total pages of specification, 3 pages of claims (Claims 1-19), one (1) page of Abstract.
- ☒ Executed combined Oath or Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition (3 pages).
- ☒ Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail (2 pages).
- ☒ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 (1 page).
- ☒ Recordation Form Cover Sheet (1 page), together with executed Assignment Document (2 pages) and a check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the recordal of Assignment fee.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard.

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| BASIC FEE   |              |              |              | \$385    | OR |              | \$770 |
| TOTAL CLAIMS  | 19 less 20   | 0            | X 09 =       | 0        | OR | X 18 =       |       |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS  | 4 less 3     | 1            | X 43 =       | 43       | OR | X 86 =       |       |
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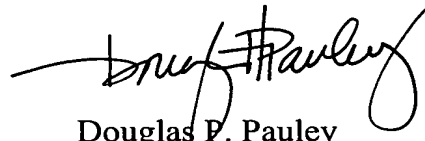
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